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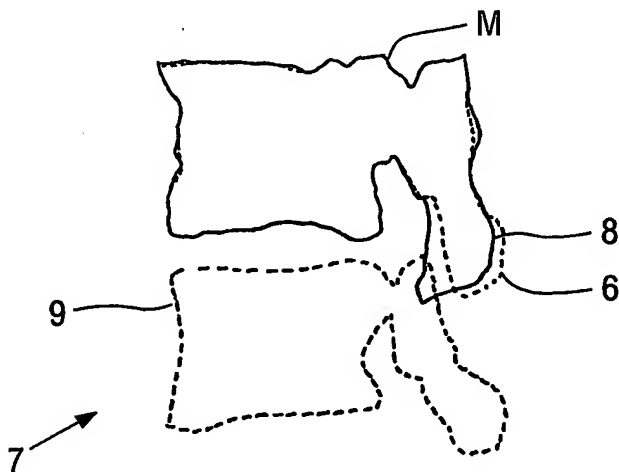
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(57) Abstract: The invention relates to a method of segmenting a three-dimensional structure from a three-dimensional, and in particular medical, data set while making allowance for user corrections. The method is performed with the help of a deformable three-dimensional model whose surface is formed by a network of nodes and meshes that connect these nodes. Once the model has been positioned at the point in the three-dimensional data set at which the structure to be segmented is situated and positions of nodes have, if necessary, been changed by known methods of segmentation, any desired nodes can be displaced manually. The nodes of the model are re-calculated by making weighted allowance for the nodes that have been displaced manually.

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